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Dear Sir:


Upon review of the file, it has been discovered that certain references were listed in an Information Disclosure Statement mailed July 18, 2003 for the above which related to a different file and different subject matter. Attached is a copy of the Form 1449 which was submitted with the totally irrelevant references crossed out in red. Applicant respectfully asks that these references not appear on the face of any patent that may issue based upon the above

application. For your convenience, Applicant also encloses a fresh Form 1449 listing the proper set of references.

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Respectfully submitted,
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	AB	4,292,968	10/06/1981	Mono et al.			
	AC	4,725,485	02/16/1988	Hirokawa			
	AD	4,906,506	03/06/1990	Nishimura et al.			
	AE	4,922,968	05/08/1990	Botter et al.			
	AF	5,064,705	11/12/1991	Donovan, Sr.			
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	AL	0 683 035 A1	11/22/1995	Europe				
	AM	1 205 275	03/04/1968	Great Britain				
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	AO	G 88 02 711.2	03/01/1988	Germany				
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	AQ		International Search Report prepared by EPO and issued for PCT/US01/49520; mailed July 9, 2002
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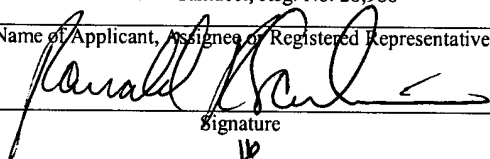
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TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
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Dear Sir:

The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after receipt of the first office action but prior to receipt of the notice of allowance. Applicant therefore encloses a check in the amount of \$180 as the requisite fee. Some of the items of information disclosed in the Information Disclosure Statement were first cited in a

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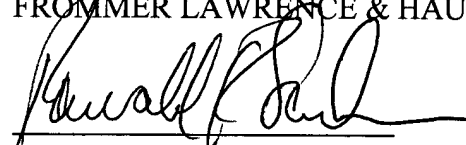
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communication from the European Patent Office for a corresponding international application mailed less than three months from the date of filing this Information Disclosure Statement. As to the remaining references, they were cited by the common examiner in related cases and are being included herewith for consistency purposes.

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